Special Meeting of Common Council Monday March 18, 2019 7:00 p.m. Council Chambers of City Hall, 505 Third Street Special Meeting

The Common Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Rich O'Connor at 7:00 p.m. Mayor O'Connor led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Members Present: Mayor Rich O'Connor, Randy Morrissette, Bill Alms, Paul Deziel, Jim Webber, Sarah Atkins Hoggatt and Joyce Hall.

Others Present: Devin Willi, Catherine Munkittrick, Josh Olson, Geoff Willems, Rebecca Mariscal and others.

Discussion and Possible Action regarding a recent 911 call for emergency medical services

Mayor O'Connor announced that the Special Meeting was called to discuss concerns surrounding two recent 911 calls. City Attorney, Cathy Munkittrick provided legal background on the necessity of having the discussion in open meeting. The calls in question were transcribed and redacted before it was provided to the council members.

Mayor O'Connor invited Paul Malecha to express his concerns regarding the 911 calls. Paul Malecha stated that he was able to listen to the 911 call live call on an app called Broadcastify. Paul listed a number of concerns he had with the calls, specifically with the response times, choice of mutual aid and available ambulances.

Josh Olson addressed the concerns detailed by Paul Malecha and replied that scanner apps have a minute or two delay which makes the actual response times inaccurate. He had in hand the actual response times as provided by the county dispatch. Josh Olson then answered questions from the council.

There was discussion among the council members surrounding the call and the necessity to have the meeting. Mayor O'Connor replied that he wanted to make sure that the City responded appropriately to the concerns brought up by Paul Malecha.

Adjournment:

Motion by Deziel, seconded by Atkins Hoggatt, to adjourn. Roll Call Vote: All Ayes (6) Motion Carried.

Meeting ended at 8:05 pm.

I hereby certify that the City Clerk has submitted the foregoing minutes to me and hereby by my signature approve said minutes and all acts of the Common Council as set forth therein.

APPROVED

Rich O'Connor, Mayor ___

ATTEST:

Jennifer Rogers, City Clerk

Date approved by Council: 15th day of

day of March, 2019